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IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE ISSUED TO:

VIRGINIA STEVENSON License No. 43Z00318600

TO PRACTICE RESPIRATORY CARE IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Administrative Action

INTERIM CONSENT ORDER

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Respiratory Care (Board) upon receipt of notice from the Professional Assistance Program of New Jersey, Inc. (PAP) that Virginia Stevenson (Respondent) suffered a relapse, in that she tested positive for cocaine use on May 1 and May 9, 2006. Thereafter on or about May 15, 2006, Respondent voluntarily admitted herself into inpatient treatment at Behavioral Health of the Palm Beaches in Florida. On or about June 14, 2006, Respondent left Florida since she successfully completed her inpatient treatment program and returned to New Jersey. Respondent is presently undergoing monitoring by the PAP.

Respondent through the PAP has represented to the Board that at the present time, she is not engaged in the practice of respiratory care in the State of New Jersey. The Board and Respondent seek to resolve this matter on an interim basis without resort to further proceedings, and recognizing that Respondent agrees not to practice respiratory care in New Jersey until further order of this Board. The Board reserving the right to take further action, and finding the within Order is sufficiently protective of the public interest and for good cause shown,

IT IS ON THIS 17th DAY OF July, 2006, ORDERED THAT:

- 1. Effective immediately and until further order of the Board, Respondent voluntarily agrees to, and shall cease and desist the practice of respiratory care in the State of New Jersey; and
- 2. Respondent shall immediately surrender her original New Jersey respiratory care license and biennial renewal card to Louis Baxter, M.D., Executive Director of the PAP; and
- 3. Respondent shall immediately provide to the Board copies of her discharge summary from Behavioral Health of the Palm Beaches in Florida regarding her inpatient treatment.

STATE BOARD OF RESPIRATORY CARL

By:

Kenneth Capck
Board President

I have read and I understand the terms of the within Order and agree to be bound by the terms of this Order. I hereby give my consent to the pury of this Order.

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Louis Bester, M.D Executive Director of the PAP

I have read and understood the within Order and agree to comply with the terms which retained to the Profession Assassing Program of New Jersey (PAP)